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## Jo Wattles Will Reign Over Homecoming



Jo Wattles  
She Will Be Crowned at Homecoming Game

### Vice Admiral Hall To Crown Queen At Half-Time

Reigning over this year's Homecoming celebration will be Jo Wattles, also proclaimed queen in 1946, who was elected this time by 334 of the men students on Thursday. Jo won by an 11-vote margin over runner-up, Virginia Parthenis. The coronation will take place during the half time of the game between William and Mary and the University of Richmond. Last year's queen, Pat Jones, will wear the crown on to the field where it will then be given to the new queen. Jo will be crowned by Vice Admiral John Lesslie Hall, Jr., a member of the college's 1908 football team and commander of the Armed Forces Staff College in Norfolk. Attending her will be Virginia Parthenis, Hunter Jones, Anne Lewis, and Bonnie Renninger. She will be further honored by receiving gifts donated by the Williamsburg merchants. Featured in the annual parade at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, October 30, will be the 1908 William and Mary football team, which first defeated the University of Richmond. Immediately after the parade, at approximately 11 a. m., there will be a meeting of the So-



Larry Clinton  
His Band Will Furnish Music for Friday Night Dance

### Dean Lambert Releases Information On Conduct Of Homecoming Parade

J. Wilfred Lambert, dean of students, released the following announcement concerning the Homecoming parade, which will begin Saturday, October 30 at 9:45 a. m.:

#### Marshals

J. Wilfred Lambert—Chief Marshal.  
H. Westcott Cunningham—Assistant Chief Marshal.  
Dorothea Thedieck and C. Warren Smith, Jr.—Assistant Marshals in charge of Section I.  
David Saunders and John Dayton—Assistant Marshals in charge of Section II.  
John E. Morgan, Jr.—Assistant Marshal in charge of Section III.

#### Instructions

1. The parade will form on Jamestown Road from the College flagpole west to the College Park Road and down the College Park Road so far as may be necessary. Entry No. 1 will be at the flagpole.
2. All entries in the parade (except those organizations residing on the Jamestown Road side of campus) are to enter the line of formation by way of Blow Gymnasium and down the College Park Road, then on to Jamestown Road into proper place. Organizations

are requested not to enter by way of the College corner.

3. All entries in the parade are requested to report promptly between 9:00 and 9:30 a. m. so that there will be no delay in starting the parade on time.
4. Each entry must be plainly marked with the name of the organization represented. Unless this is done the judges may have difficulty in reaching their decisions.
5. Returning west on Duke of Gloucester Street, the parade will proceed up Jamestown Road and on to College Park Road, and will not cease moving until the police car gives order stop. Failure to observe this will result in jamming the entire line of march.
6. Entry numbers given below will be written in chalk on the roadway. Each entry must go into its number location on the right side of the street, leaving the left side clear for essential traffic.

#### Order Of Parade

##### Section I

- \*1. Motorcycle Police Escort.
- \*2. Special Car (The Chief Marshal, the President of the Stu-

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Fraternity alumni will be guests at open houses held in the lodges on Saturday, October 30, from 5-6 p. m.

The open house for faculty and entering men students will be held on Sunday, November 21, from 2:30-6 p. m., it was announced by Jack Mitchell, publicity chairman of the Interfraternity Council.

city of Alumni in Phi Beta Kappa Hall for the purpose of acting on a proposed by-law amendment to provide for the election of directors by mail ballot. Following the business meeting, at 12 noon, the annual "Brunswick Stew" picnic for alumni, faculty, and friends, will be held at The Wane-gan on Lake Matoaka.

The fraternities and sororities will hold open house for the alumni members after the game at 4:45 p. m. This will be the first opportunity for many of the alumni to see the new fraternity lodges.

Commencing at 6 p. m. the annual alumni supper will be held at the Williamsburg Lodge, both dining rooms being turned over to alumni and their friends. After the supper from 9 p. m. to 12 midnight the alumni dance will be held in the Blow Gymnasium.

The spirit of Homecoming will be captured by the pep rally Thursday night at 10:30 p. m. on college corner. Following the introduction of the team, coaches, and the speaker, the rally will

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### 'The Great Campaign' To Combine Musical Satire With Serious Ideas

"It's sort of a Brunswick Stew," said Althea Hunt, director of the William and Mary Theatre, describing the forthcoming production, *The Great Campaign*, to be presented by that group tomorrow and Thursday nights at 8 p. m. in Phi Beta Kappa Hall.

"Although there is a lot of singing, dancing and comedy, it is not actually a musical comedy," Miss Hunt commented, "but rather a political satire." Serious ideas are presented and emphasized through these mediums.

The comedy borders on the "vaudevillian," said Miss Hunt, with caricatures of the several types of candidates as well as several other characters usually associated with a political campaign. However, the emphasis is on the common man and his faith in institutions. The play also presents an insight into the life of a typical small town.

The story concerns an Ohio farmer, played by Bill Williams, who runs for President in opposition to a machine candidate, as portrayed by John Donovan.

*The Great Campaign* was originally produced in New York by the Experimental Theatre, Inc., in 1947 under the sponsorship of the American National Theatre and Academy. The plan of this group is to give young playwrights and actors a chance to demonstrate their wares. Thus, the plays run for five nights only and the unpublished scripts are then made available to any outside groups

who may wish to utilize them.

After this first presentation, Brooks Atkinson, drama critic for the New York Times, pronounced *The Great Campaign*, "the most original of the season's experiments."

It has already been produced at the University of Texas and at the Randall School in Connecticut. More recently, it was presented at the Cleveland Playhouse under the direction of Frederic McConnell, who was here at William and Mary this summer for the Theatre Institute.

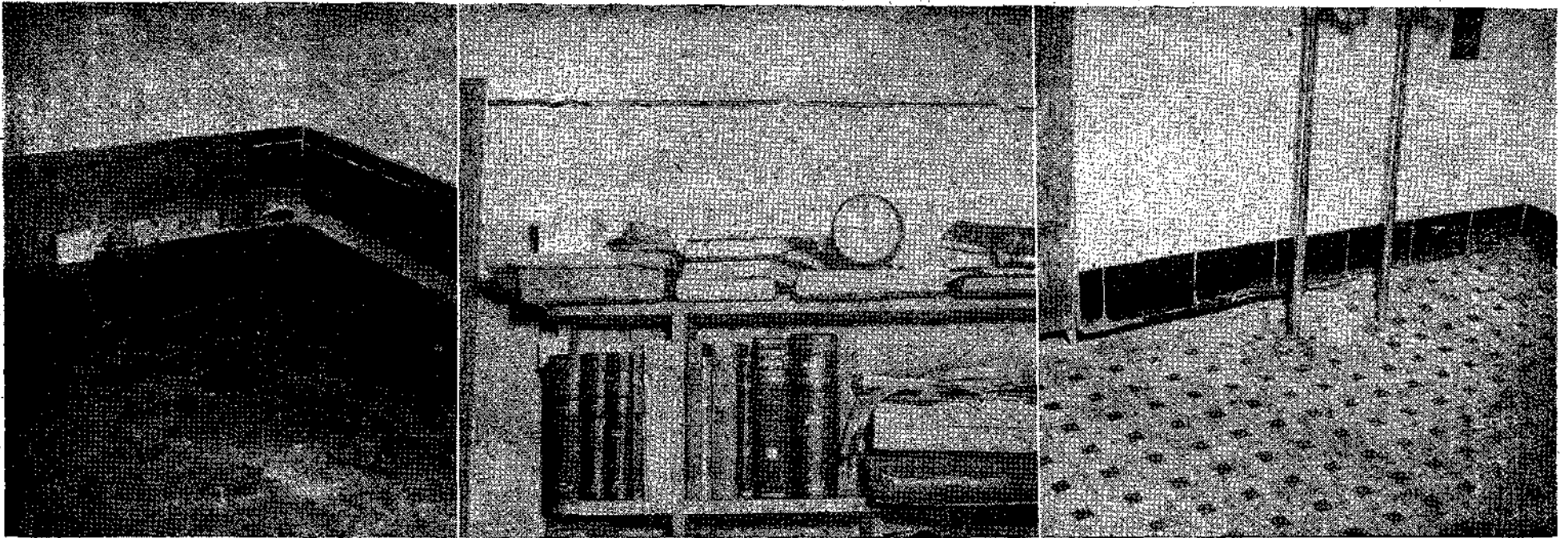
"We are doing it because it is an unpublished script and we'd like to try it out on a college audience," Miss Hunt stated. She also gave timeliness of subject matter and general entertainment value as other reasons for the presentation of this particular play.

This will be the only play to be given by the William and Mary Theatre this semester, Miss Hunt said, because of a very full college calendar and the conflict with fraternity rushing.

Although music was supposed to be included with the script, it never arrived. Thus, Ben Johnston, Jr., composed and adapted the musical portion of the program. Some of his original songs are "Clear the Way," "What Wonderful Love," based on an old-fashioned evangelistic theme, "All Hail the Day" and "Put Your Mark Down."

The musical background is pro-  
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VIEWS OF THE PHI ALPHA LODGE, showing damage done to the interior when the building's concrete slab foundation sank approximately two inches last week, were taken by FLAT HAT photographer Douglas Green. Repairs are already under way. A burst water pipe and resulting soil erosion were the causes of the damage to the new, \$22,000 fraternity lodge.

## The Flat Hat

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## NEW SPIRIT

Last week we attended our first meeting of the General Cooperative Committee and were also present at a dinner given by the president of the college in honor of Dean Gauss of Princeton University. We were impressed on both occasions with the spirit of cooperation and mutual respect which now exists among student government officers, faculty and administration.

A strong line of demarcation has long existed between the students on the one hand and the administration on the other. Students as a whole, and the Flat Hat staff is no exception, have directed their complaints and criticisms against "the administration," as though all who have office space in Marshall-Wythe are collectively responsible for our ills. This attitude often has made cooperation between administration and student impossible.

The new spirit which prevails among students and members of the administration alike has developed out of the realization that both groups are interested in the welfare of the college as a whole. When the discussion over improving the band arose in the General Cooperative Committee meeting, all the committee members were in complete agreement that action should be taken. Again, when the question of student membership on the discipline committee was brought up, both at the committee meeting and at the president's dinner, all present agreed that the organization of the committee should be revised to include greater student representation.

At both meetings, students and administration officers expressed their views as individuals rather than as members of a particular group. We have talked to student government officers since the meetings, and they were similarly impressed with the mood which prevailed. We were surprised and pleased ourselves, because this individuality of action and spirit of mutual cooperation seem to have sprung up overnight. More can be accomplished by the student government and the administration if this spirit continues, and it will continue only if the student body as a whole is conscious that it exists.

J. L. F.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

I was very perturbed over the incident of "dog shooting" in front of the library, Saturday morning, October 16. I fully realize that at times dogs have become a nuisance on the campus. From time to time they have gotten into the library causing distress to the library officials and students. However when an officer of the law comes on campus, with a rifle over his shoulder, shooting a dog through the abdomen, which does not cause instantaneous death, it is something that should not be tolerated at any time; for any reason. I have been contacted by many students expressing their distastes over such inhumane treatment. To see a dog, whether he be a campus pet or not, die a lingering death is not a pleasant sight to anyone.

I am suggesting to the students that collars and tags be acquired for campus dogs which are known by everyone and are a part of the institution. I am going to cast the first stone and purchase, this week, a collar and tag for "George." (George has taken King's place on campus since King's death last

December). "George" may have been the officers next victim had he not been stopped by a student as the officer was called to the campus to dispose of DOGS not a DOG. The dog that was destroyed lacked a license.

George likewise does not have one. These license tags may be obtained from the Treasurer's Office at the James City County Court House on Francis Street. The cost is one dollar for male and three dollars for female dogs.

I want to take this opportunity to appeal to campus men to refrain from allowing dogs into the library building as it may cause the destruction of a pet. If in the future the situation becomes so bad that some of the strays have to be disposed of, I want the students to be consulted on the matter of a more scientific method of disposition.

If dogs are pets and have license tags they are protected by the law. I urge that all interested students take the matter into their own hands and acquire tags this week.

Sincerely,  
C. Warren Smith,  
President of the Student Body.

## Debate Council Will Conduct Election; Students Will Go To Polls Tomorrow

Tomorrow the Inter-Collegiate Debate Council, as a finale to its pre-election program, will sponsor a mock election in which students will express their choice for the President of the United States. Polls will be opened at college corner from 1 to 6 p. m.

The Debate Council sponsored a program last week in Phi Beta Kappa Hall in which representatives of the Democratic, Republican and States Rights parties spoke in behalf of their candidates for president.

This meeting developed into a bitter clash between the democratic speaker, Martin A. Hutcheson and Collins Denny, Jr., States Rights representative. Hutcheson launched a blistering attack on the

anti-Truman faction in the Democratic party who had "disavowed majority rule, the basis of our democratic institutions," to inaugurate the "so-called" states-rights program. To this Denny answered that the Southern delegations to the Democratic convention went there in open opposition to President Truman and the Civil Rights program, that many of the Southern states' delegations offered conditions to the convention's credentials committee and that the committee accepted the delegations and their conditions.

Mrs. George B. Taubman, speaking for the Republican party, characterized the Republican party as "the party of individualism, independence, and states-rights."



HOOKER HARBOUR (left) GREETED COLLINS DENNY, JR., States Rights party representative, who addressed a political rally sponsored by the Inter-Collegiate Debate Council last Thursday.

## British Parliament Member to Address College Audience In Phi Beta Kappa

Speaking in Phi Beta Kappa Hall Wednesday, November 3, at 8 p. m. will be John Parker, member of the British Labor Parliament and eminent lecturer. The topic of his address will be British Labor in Power — Its Program and Personalities.

Born in Bristol, England, of a conservative family, Parker became interested in the labor movement at an early age. He pursued this interest during his student days at Oxford and also after his graduation. His latest book,

Labor Marches On, has had a wide sale in Britain and other countries. Parker is endorsed by those who have heard him as an interesting and well-equipped speaker.

## G. G. Clark Will Speak At Wednesday Chapel

Crossed Questions and Crooked Answers is the title of the address to be given by Dr. G. Glenwood Clark, associate professor of English, at the chapel service, tomorrow at 6:30 p. m.

## Duke Will Repair Damage To Lodge By End Of Week

"I hope to have the damage to the Phi Alpha lodge repaired by Homecoming," declared Charles J. Duke, Jr., bursar of the college, Saturday morning.

The concrete slab foundation of the lodge, which is reinforced with steel beams and contains pipes for radiant heat, has sunk approximately two inches. The size of the crack is indicated by the pack of cigarettes placed in the picture at the left above. The slab supporting the \$22,000 lodge, which was opened for occupancy less than a month ago, was laid on a clay fill. The filled-in earth was "needled" with a water hose, so that it might settle before the slab was poured. "Usually fills are allowed to settle over a period of three to four months through the action of rainstorms, but a water hose was used in the case of the lodges in order to speed up the process," Duke explained.

According to Duke, the damage to the Phi Alpha lodge might be laid to one of two possible causes. Either the clay fill settled further after the foundation was laid and caused a break in a water pipe, or the pipe burst and began to wash away the filled-in earth.

Although the cause of the damage is as yet undetermined, Duke stated that the repairs which are now under way ought to correct the situation permanently. The concrete slab will be jacked up to its former position. "Great care will be necessary in the performance of this operation, as there is a danger that the slab will crack during the process," Duke declared.

Once the slab is jacked into position, two piers will be driven under the corner of the lodge where the damage took place. A beam will then be laid across the piers to support the foundation, and the earth around it will be filled in once more.

All students interested in securing a job through the Placement Bureau of the college may register now with the bureau in Washington 213.

The closing date for the registration of February graduates is November 5 and November 12 for June graduates. August graduates may register after January 1, 1949.

## Dr. Watson Will Speak

Dr. Robert I. Watson, assistant dean of Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Mo., will address William and Mary students Wednesday, November 3, at 3:30 p. m. in Washington 100.

Following his informal talk on The Clinical Method in Medical Education, a question period will be held to give the students an opportunity to get authentic information on problems relative to medical schools.

## 1908 Football Team To Register For Alumni Homecoming Festivities

Members of the football squad of 1908, one of the first William and Mary teams to beat Richmond, will be among the alumni who will register for the Homecoming festivities at the Alumni Society's new quarters in The Brafferton, Saturday, October 30, from 8 a. m. until 12:30 p. m. and also right after the game until 7:30 p. m.

The team members and their coach, George E. O'Hearn of Pittsfield, Mass., who left the Indians the year after the '08 squad's 21-18 victory over Richmond forty years ago, will feature prominently in this year's Homecoming. Arrangements have been made for them to

sit on the sidelines during the game with the '48 team and to be presented before the spectators at half-time. In the morning prior to the game, they will ride in the parade, forming at 9 a. m. and beginning at 9:45 a. m., which will march down the full length of the Duke of Gloucester Street and return to the campus by the same route.

Prominent among the '08 Indians attending the 53rd contest against Richmond are: Blake Tyler Newton, the President of the State Board of Education; Vice Admiral John Lesslie Hall, Jr., U.S.N., now the Commanding Officer of the Armed Forces Staff College in Norfolk, recently of the 14th Naval District at Pearl Harbor; Joseph Ewart Healy, the Superintendent of The Virginia School for the Deaf and Blind at Staunton; Charles Albert Taylor, Jr., the former Alumni secretary; James Glenn Driver, the only man in W&M history to captain four sports—football, basketball, baseball, and track.

The first college club of which there is record, The Flat Hat Club, was established at William and Mary in 1750.

### The Methodist Church

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#### Sunday Services

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## Rushing Ceases Monday Night 148 Women Pledge To Nine Sororities

Rushing festivities came to a quiet close last Tuesday noon, October 19, when 148 freshman and transfer women handed in their bids to the nine sororities on campus.

Fifteen women were pledged to Alpha Chi Omega last Thursday; 20 to Chi Omega; 14 to Delta Delta Delta; 13 to Gamma Phi Beta; 15 to Kappa Alpha Theta; 20 to Kappa Delta; 26 to Kappa Kappa Gamma; 10 to Phi Mu and 15 to Pi Beta Phi.

The new pledges of Alpha Chi Omega are Betty Alexander, Nancy Alexander, Peggy Brice, Eloise Bryant, Joyce Carrigan, Nancy Cook, Nancy Cooper, Rose Dwyer, Anne Hall, Betsy Lavery, Camilla Neal, Cathy Smith, Susan Tillet, Delores Widdington and Julia Youngquist.

Those pledged to Chi Omega are Mary Bagnell, Joan Barritt, Virginia France, Virginia Gall, June Hall, Ann Holland, Jackie Jones, Lucy Lawson, Marie Newcomb, Joan Ovington, Billie Potts, Beth Quynn, Chip Ray, B. J. Reavis, Alice Rice, Joan Shaw, Connie

Taylor, Ella Tuck and Jeanne Vester.

Wearing Delta Delta Delta pledge pins are Beverly Beach, Peggy Blair, Elaine Diehm, Carolyn Forman, Wanda Grove, Cora Jane Hodgdon, Margaret Hoover, Dorothy Howe, Frances Jewell, Margaret Lynch, Jo Melton, Ann McGraw, Nancy Lee Nolley and Dorothy Smith.

Future members of Gamma Phi Beta are Margie Brown, Mariam Dickens, Mariam Ellis, Sylvia Gooch, Anne Hulce, Peggy Jones, Evelyn Moore, Nancy Noot, Betsy Smithson, Barbara Striker, Janet Vaughn, Mary Lou Walton and Phyllis Williams.

The new pledges of Kappa Alpha Theta are Hunter deMurguondo, Katherine Gray, Elinor Hanson, Lelia Ann Harmon, Nancy Hubbard, Peggy Hughes, Laura Mickler, Nancilyn Miller, Jean Page, Janet Richardson, Nancy Rigg, Nancy Russell, Virginia Tague, Sarah Waddell and Mary Jane Wall.

Pledged to Kappa Delta are Katherine Allen, Freddie Ann Bailey, Gretchen Burhen, Joyce Cassidy, Anne Driscoll, Mary Gound, Helen Grisaffe, Catharine Hanrahan, Dorothy Harris, Ethel

Messick, Mary Nelson, Jeannette Noyes, Dorothy Powers, Nancy Prosser, Coral Elizabeth Rogers, Elaine Speaker, Betty Jo Venable, Jane Walker, Barbara Wilson and Katherine Wiinn.

Wearing the Kappa Kappa Gamma pledge pin are Hilda Beckh, Betty Bozarth, Nancy Bradley, Constance Bryant, June Cosby, Patricia Daversa, Shirley Davis, Janet Dickerson, Audrey Doll, Cynthia Edwards, Nancy Gibney, Anna Jane Holliday, Caroline Jones, Jane Kyle, Roberta Lamont, Joyce McKinney, Jean McLean, Joyce Miller, Christine Mills, Edith Moser, Lawton Scott, Carolyn Skinner, Mary Snyder, Charlotte Walker, Carolyn Williams and Joanne Zimmerman.

Future members of Phi Mu are Nancy Barker, Jean Bodie, Joan Eardly, Ella Mae Harrison, Marie Hasher, Nancy Jackson, Jane Lyons, Pat Nunnally, Julia Scott and Jane Tuck.

Those pledged to Pi Beta Phi are Carolyn Anderson, Sue Biederman, Anne Burks, Camille Grimes, Pat Hedman, Taffy Lay, Connie Long, Ann Mereness, Nancy Northen, Marty Paisley, Janet Rowe, Barbara Smith, Carol Walker, Mary Ann Walker and Bobbie Wells.

## Bright Adds Names To Scholarship List

The editors of the Flat Hat wish to express their apologies for the omission of the names of certain people from the list of scholarship winners in the October 12 issue.

John C. Bright, director of the placement bureau, announced that these winning additional scholarships were: J. R. Muhlig, Robert Wall, Ralph E. Kennard, E. C. Brockenbrough, Bobby Doll, Fred Kovaleski, Beverly Hatcher, Ann Kennard, W. A. Sheppe, Jack Buchheit, Darden Pittman, Ronald Barnes, and Thomas Boys.

Also William Jackson Payne, James R. Macken, C. Warren Smith, Henry Van Rhodes, Richard Hotchkiss, Catherine Trask, Jane Oblender, Atwater, Robert Galloway, John L. Hudson, James H. Butler, Robert Hoffman and Richard Randall.

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# All Fraternity Lodges To Decorate For Gay Homecoming Festivities

By Robert Roeder

In way of a welcome, 11 new fraternity lodges will be brightly bedecked, both on the interior and exterior, for the onrushing Homecoming festivities. By Friday, all the lodges should be completely furnished, with 11 presidents becoming at last at ease.

Featured in all the lodges are plasti-covered sofas and chairs, strewn about in various patterns and representing every imaginable hue of red, brown, green, and white. Rugs, many of which are yet being anxiously awaited, of solid colors from gray to red will cover the bare linoleum floors. Radio-phonographs and pianos will add to the confusion and din after Saturday's game.

Drapes covered with varying designs, from feudal armies to purple poinsettias, now adorn almost all the picture-windowed lodges. Trophies, from intramural football to deer heads, are present on most of the mantels.

As far as the special external decorations are concerned, none of the fraternities are certain as to their plans at the date of writing. The most probable occurrence will be that the Richmond concern now contracted to decorate the town will also handle the lodges. In any event returning alumni will be colorfully greeted by the lodges' appearances.

The fraternities are planning stag receptions for the alumni following the game. At least one fraternity, following the Halloween motif, will have some witches around, either after the game or in the evening. Another of the fraternities has been prepared for the festivities for more than a week, having purchased a gross of glasses last Wednesday.

## Rev. A. G. Hebert Will Speak Sunday To Canterbury Club

The Reverend A. Gabriel Hebert will speak at the Canterbury Club supper on Sunday, October 31, at the Bruton Parish house at 6 p. m.

Father Hebert is one of the best known writers and thinkers of the Church of England, especially in the fields of Liturgical and Biblical theology. He is a graduate of Oxford and a member of the So-



Rev. A. Gabriel Hebert

ciety of the Sacred Mission, in which he has served since 1913, as a missionary at Modderpool, South Africa, and more recently as a tutor at the College of the Sacred Mission at Kelham.

Father Hebert became widely known by the publication of *Liturgy and Society* in 1935, which was followed by *The Parish Communion*, which he edited in 1936, and more recently by a series of biblical and theological studies. Besides his own work, Father Hebert as a translator has introduced such Swedish theologians as Brilioth and Nygoen to the English-speaking world. His contribution to the Church has been enriched by an unusual breadth of contacts in both the Catholic and Protestant world.

## Bethards Names Board

Members of the editorial board of the *Royalist*, announced last week by Editor Dick Bethards and subject to the approval of the Publication Committee, are Betty Davis, Patricia Stringham, Kitty Trask, Peter Boynton, Richard Beatty and Glenn Garrison.

Their duties will be to make final decisions on the material submitted for publication and to break tied judgments.

## Foltin To Give Speech

Dr. Edgar M. Foltin, professor of psychology, will be the guest speaker at the next meeting of the Psychology Club on Tuesday, October 26, at 8 p. m.

## Jack Palmer Announces Chess Club To Hold Organizational Meeting Soon

"Sufficient interest in chess has been demonstrated on campus to justify the formation of a club devoted to the 'royal game,'" Jack Palmer stated, in announcing that an organizational meeting for such a purpose is to be held in Washington 314 at 7 p. m. on Thursday, October 28.

Membership in the club is open to students and to the faculty, and the presence of all chess-players, regardless of playing strength, is solicited for the meeting at which plans for a round-robin tournament will be formulated. The final results of this tourney

will provide a basis for the rating of players according to playing strength and a basis for the selection of a team to compete with similar organizations at the University of Virginia and at other colleges throughout the state.

It is emphasized, however, that participation in the tournament will not be compulsory, should a player prefer to adopt a passive role in respect to inter-scholastic competition.

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# Braves To Renew Traditional Rivalry With Richmond



(The sports column this week is guest written on the subject of Homecoming football by Wally Heatwole, a veteran of a number of Homecomings and many more FLAT HAT columns. Ed.)

It is indeed a privilege and pleasure to be back on the old "Pourwou With Wally" routine even if it is only a one night stand. After having this column for two years there seems much to be said and not to be said about last week's game, but as that is past history, we feel the St. Bonnie venture is best left to the Monday morning quarterback.

This week we have what in most colleges is the big game of the season where, win or lose, everyone has a good time. As one poor loser remarked after last Saturday, William and Mary comes back into its own league. As far as state competition is concerned the so-called fan was right, but as far as playing a team worthy of a Homecoming event, no one could have been more wrong. Even with the present record of three wins and two losses, the worst Big Green record at this point in the last eight years, there should be no doubt in anyone's mind as to the outcome of this week's game.

The question being asked by a lot of alumni is, why don't we have a suitable Homecoming opponent. The last thrilling game played for Homecoming was in 1939 against Washington and Lee with the men of Voyles, in his first year, finally winning by a 19-13 score after seeing the lead change hands five times. Since then it has been all William and Mary.

An out-of-state opponent was called in for the 1942 game but the final outcome was 61-0 against George Washington. It seems to boil down to this—if the alumni and students want to see a good ball game at Homecoming, it will be necessary for the Athletic Association to bring in a major team, and that doesn't mean a Virginia team. William and Mary hasn't lost to a state team since 1939 and there doesn't seem to be any prospect in the immediate future. In fact lately they haven't even been contests.

It makes no difference to the team or to the coaching staff as to whom they play, but it seems that some people insist on dictating the terms of this particular game. Since it makes no difference in the front office, such terms are accepted. At this point we would like to cast a vote for the Athletic Association's taking matters in its own hands and scheduling games for this particular date as suits its fancy and not that of the Alumni office or any particular individual. We feel that sectional powers such as Carolina, Michigan State, or perhaps a newcomer from the North should be lined up for this date.

Last week's state newspapers were about as disgusting as any we've had the misfortune to see in our rather lengthy stay at William and Mary. In the Virginia-Washington and Lee "Battle of the Black Knit ties," one John Papit ran wild against the Generals. Immediately he was hailed as the greatest fullback in the history of the state. Our "ace" commentator, George (Which Way Did See SMOKE SIGNALS, Page 8

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## Frat Football Loop Race Tied, Moaners Nab Top

Sigma Rho and Pi KA through Thursday night, continued to pace the field of entries in the Fraternity league intramural football race. Over in the Independent loop, the Moaners are out front.

Sigma Rho and Pi KA both possess records of three wins without setback. Close at the heels of the front runners comes SAE, also undefeated but holders of only a pair of victories.

The Moaners, leading the Independents with a record of two wins and no losses, are seriously challenged by the Challengers, who own a won-one, lost-one mark.

Sigma Rho's latest outing, a 15-6 win, followed a 20-7 decision over Kappa Sigma. Pi KA, in last week's games, downed Pi Lambda, 19-0, and Phi Alpha, 33-0.

The Moaners latest verdict was turned in over the Chicken Clippers, 20-0.

Touch football standings as of Thursday night:

Fraternity League	W	L
Sigma Rho	3	0
Pi KA	3	0
SAE	2	0
Kappa Sigma	2	1
Theta Delta Chi	1	1
Phi Kappa Tau	1	1
Pi Lambda Phi	1	2
Lambda Chi Alpha	1	2
Kappa Alpha	1	2
Phi Alpha	0	3
Sigma Pi	0	3
Independent League	W	L
Moaners	2	0
Challengers	1	0
OD "A"	2	1
Chicken Clippers	1	1
Flying Vets	1	1
Damn Yanks	0	1
Flyin' 8	0	1
Barracks Bees	0	2

## Papooses Trample Imps, 19-7, In Frosh Grid Tilt

Spotting the Duke freshmen a blocked-kick touchdown, the Papooses came roaring back and scored twice in the second period, and sewed the game up with a tally in the final quarter to win 19-7.

The Blue Imps' score came midway in the first quarter. John Minich, Duke left tackle, broke through the W&M line, blocked Lewis' punt and raced 30 yards for the touchdown. The try for the extra point was good and Duke led 7-0. But from that point on Duke's T attack was unable to penetrate inside the W&M 30 yard line.

Ed Weber set up the first Tribe tally when he ran 15 yards for a first down on the Duke 18-yard

line. Two plays later they scored on a pass from Dickie Lewis to Harold Bates, who was in the end zone. Jack Place's try for the extra point was low. The Braves came right back and recovered a Duke fumble on the Imp 10-yard line, and this time Lewis passed to Paul Yewic in the end zone. Meredith's try for the extra point was blocked.

The final score started on the Duke 40-yard line. Ed Weber took an eight yard pass from Borum and ran to the 25-yard line. Harold Borum then tossed to Pat Reeves who ran the remaining 15 yards for the touchdown, and Meredith split the uprights for the extra point.

## Brown Indians Edge Big Green In 7-6 Upset

A little school with a much underrated football team and a 50th Anniversary celebration proved the undoing of the William and Mary Indians as the Tribe dropped a 7-6 decision to the Brown Indians of St. Bonaventure at Olean, N. Y., Saturday before 12,000 fanatical fans.

Coach Rube McCray rated the spirit of the Bonnies as the best he has seen in his 17 years of coaching and members of the W&M team rank the Saints as their best opponent of the year so far.

At the start of the game, it looked like the team from the Reservation was on its way when burly Lou Creekmur broke through to block a Bonnie punt on their 20 to set up a score early in the second period. Jack Cloud was the key man in the W&M drive which netted the touchdown, but Buddy Lex's try for the extra point was no good.

But the home team stormed back in the final seconds of the half and scored on a long pass to Phil Colella, ex-Notre Dame ace, from Nick Scaturro. Frank Ferris converted and gave the Saints a 7-6 lead at halftime, and that was the way it remained.

William and Mary had a number of scoring opportunities later in the game, but a combination of breaks and a stubborn Bonnie defense would not let them hit paydirt again.

The whole game was a bruising one between two bruising teams, and after it was over, Coach Hugh Devore, one who has seen thousands of college players come and go, sought out Jack Cloud and told him simply, "You're the best college fullback I ever saw."

## Better Spider Team Expected On Saturday

Gridiron Spiders of the University of Richmond, this year showing more evidence of being a football team than in the past few seasons, will invade Cary Field for the 1948 William and Mary Homecoming game Saturday at 2 p. m.

At that time, the Indian faithful of this and other years will have the opportunity to see in action the defending Southern Conference champions as well as a team of 40 years ago. Many of the members of the 1908 team which smacked Richmond, 21-18, will be on hand and will go through a few plays before game time.

Coach Rube McCray's modern Braves, however, will face a little tougher opposition than the '08 grads when they battle Richmond. The Spiders, playing their first season under Coach Karl A. (Dick) Esleeck, have shifted to a single wing offense from the T-formation, with which the Richmonders had little success against the Braves.

The Braves' traditional rivals have done fairly well so far this season, posting wins over Randolph-Macon, Hampden-Sydney, and Furman while dropping decisions to VMI and Maryland's powerhouse.

McCray's team will be seeking their fourth conference win of the campaign against the single loss suffered at the hands of Wake Forest in the first home game. Another victory would place the Tribe ahead of all but the undefeated teams of the conference.

Spearheading the Richmond assault will be such standout backs as Tom (Cotton) Billingsly and Ed (Sugar) Ralston, a pair of highly regarded Spiders.

The game will mark the first time Richmond has come to Williamsburg for a number of years.

Coach Rube McCray will be out to maintain his perfect slate against the Spiders since McCray took over in 1944, losing by lopsided scores every year.

Saturday's contest is likely to be something of a breather between the tough St. Bonaventure and North Carolina games.

## Fullback Cloud Leads Scorers

With William & Mary's 1948 football campaign at it's halfway mark, the Indian stellar, line cracking back, Jack "Flying" Cloud is pacing the individual scoring with 30 points. "Flying" Jack scored his five T.D.'s on line bucks averaging from one to six yards.

Behind Cloud is Henry "Blinky" Blang who crossed the double stripe for the Tribe three times for a total of 18 points. Blang scored on pass receptions from Tommy Korcowski in all three instances.

Tied in the third slot are Vito Ragazzo and Tommy "Kid" Korcowski each with two of the Indian's T.D.'s. Ragazzo gathered in two passes from Korcowski while helping himself to 12 points. Korcowski scored for W&M on runs of 56 and 14 yards, respectively Jack Bruce, Lou Hoitsma, and George Heflin all scored once on aials. Bruce accounted for the longest scoring pass however, the entige play eating up 62 yards.

Trailing behind is Buddy Lex, who although setting up many of the Tribe's touchdowns, has actually only scored three points on P.A.T.'s.

Metan Davies, who toured this country with the All-English Hockey team under the coaching eye of Miss Appleby, will be here Thursday and Friday, October 28 and 29 respectively, to teach the girls in the physical education classes and the varsity team the rudiments of hockey.





1948 William and Mary Cross Country Team  
Runners Will Face Randolph-Macon Tomorrow

## Jack "The Flying" Cloud Hailed As Nation's Best Plunging Back

Feature attraction on Coach R. N. "Rube" McCray's pigskin panorama is battering ram Jack "The Flying" Cloud, whose line plunges and power plays are attracting sports writers from all over the nation.

Famous for his running through the line, Jack has also been used as a passer, and is an excellent line-backer on defensive play. Primarily, however, he is used to gain needed yardage for a first down, and for plays down near the goal line. For this he has received national recognition, and is very much in the running for All-American fullback.

Jack came to William and Mary in 1946 and as a freshman was tabbed the best fullback in Dixie. He was named to the All-State and All-Southern elevens, and ran second to Carolina's Justice in scoring honors.

The 23-year old plunger spent most of his life in Britton, Okla., where he played two years of high school ball for the local high school. The family then moved to Norfolk, where Jack, a part Cherokee, made a name for himself at Maury High School. He was named All-State there.

A three-year sojourn in the Army Air Corps interrupted Cloud's career, but it did not hurt it. Having attracted the South's attention in 1946 he proceeded to turn other eyes toward the Reservation by his play in 1947.

Up until the Dixie Bowl, Cloud had run up a total of 490 yards gained on the ground for a 3.3 average. Not only that, he threw eight passes, completed four, for

40 yards more. He was also on the receiving end of four tosses gaining 40 yards, and intercepted two, one of them for a 60-yard touchdown trot. Lu Gambino, of Maryland, beat him out for Conference scoring honors, though Jack had 15 tallies for 90 points.

When the 1947 football clouds had rolled away it was found that the 205-pound Cloud had been named on the New York Sun All-American First Team, and the Associated Press Third Team. He was also honored with the captaincy of both the All-Southern and All-State Associated Press teams.

Grantland Rice, Dean of American sportswriters, has said that "William and Mary's Jack Cloud and Army's Rip Rowan are the greatest fullbacks in the nation." Following the Dixie Bowl game last January 1, Clyde Scott stopped Jack as he was going off the field and called him the "greatest back wearing football cleats."

That Dixie Bowl game, incidentally, is where Jack showed the best game of his career. He romped for three touchdowns, though one was called back, in the Tribe's 21-19 loss to Arkansas, and it was admitted by all witnesses that he was the best man on Birmingham's Legion Field that day.

Against both VMI and VPI this year he played a great game, at times going for five or ten yards with men on his back. Several times it took half of the opposing team to bring him down to the turf.

So far this year Jack has averaged 4.1 yards per play, totaling

183 yards. He has yet to be thrown for a loss, and has scored 5 touchdowns for 30 points. The touchdowns for — points. The knee which he hurt against Arkansas hasn't given him too much bother lately, and it looks as if the battering ram will keep on going full steam ahead right through 1949.

## Women's Hockey Team Opens Play

The women's varsity hockey team played their first real game on Saturday, October 23, against the Williamsburg Club made up of women in the vicinity interested in playing hockey and some women from Fredericksburg.

The varsity team held the club scoreless in the first half, and showed their initiative in the second half by tallying two goals. Elinor Hanson, left wing and Ebbie Shelton, right inner were the two girls that were responsible for these tallies. However, the varsity tired fast in the last minutes of the game and the Williamsburg Club was able to rack up four goals and win the game 4-2. Miss Arnold from Fredericksburg, playing a superb game, was credited with three of the goals, and her team mate, Miss Gratzner, also from Fredericksburg tallied the other goal.

**LOST AND FOUND**—Lady's reading glasses. Tortoise shell rim. Found at Wake Forest Game. Found by Mrs. L. M. McDonald, 400 York Street, 694-J.

## Women's Team Aces Battle In Intramural Tournament

The women's tennis intramural competition had a break from the weather this week and the matches were played on Tuesday, October 19, through Friday, October 22.

The first day of scheduled matches found Barrett's first team winning one of their singles and their doubles match at the expense of Gamma Phi. Anita Chakeres proved a great asset to the Barrett team. Another League A match was between Kappa and Kappa Delta with KD first team coming out on the winning side with two wins and one loss, but this was not the case of their second team. Kappa was the victor by winning all three of the matches. Chandler's first and second teams had a clean sweep over Tri Delt. Due to the forfeiting of all matches by Pi Phi and Alpha Chi, Jefferson and Theta respectfully won all their matches.

The second day of play saw Pi Phi and Alpha Chi still forfeiting their games. Chi Omega's tennis team had a good day by winning all six of their matches with Tri Delt. A great deal of credit can be given to Jimmie Murphy and Mrs. Howe Atwater. Theta's first team, even with the able playing of Ruth Barnes and Shirley Lyons, could not stop Phi Mu from winning two out of the three matches played. Another team to forfeit all their games on Wednesday, October 20, was Barrett. This action put KD on the winning side of the tally sheet. Jefferson had a good day by winning two of their first team matches and all three of their second team matches. This was all at the expense of Gamma Phi. Kappa's third team making its first appearance lost to Chi

Omega by dropping two games out of the three played.

Barrett forfeited all their games to Jefferson on Thursday, October 21, thus giving Jefferson an edge on all the other teams. This same day saw Kappa's first team win over Gamma Phi 2-1, KD's first team victor over Pi Phi 3-0, and Chi Omega over Chandler 2-1. Pi Phi's second team did not play so KD won all three matches by forfeit.

Friday, October 22, saw the last of the tennis matches played for this past week. KD won all six matches due to Gamma Phi's forfeiting. The first teams of Jefferson and Tri Delt won two out of the three matches played from Kappa and Alpha Chi respectfully. Phi Mu forfeited all their first team matches to Chandler. Theta's second team forfeited all their games to Chi Omega. The best match played that day was between Ruth Barnes, representing Theta, and Mrs. Jane O. Atwater, of Chi Omega. Both of these girls were on the varsity tennis team last year. Ruth Barnes finally broke through the tie and won 10-8. Theta won another first team match thus defeating Chi Omega 2-1.

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By Hugh Moore

Largely responsible for the successes of William and Mary football teams for the past four years have been the perfection-plus coaching and respected leadership of Marvin Bass, the Indians' popular young line coach.

Bass, now in his fifth season as line tutor of the Braves, has year after year turned out strong, rugged linemen who have blended with the backfield into a winning combination.

The genial Marvin, very well liked by his gridiron pupils, built his coaching achievements into an all-time high in 1947 when he molded the big Indians up front into one of the South's most formidable and impenetrable fore-wall units.

Graduations from that Southern Conference championship club riddled the mighty front bulwark, and Bass was faced with the Herculean task of rebuilding that line. That he has done, filling with new faces four gaps that were last season left vacant.

The men under the direction of Bass fully appreciate his capable instruction and go all out to play their best brand of ball for him. They like and admire the "Moose," as he is good-naturedly called by them, and they illustrate it by their performance on the gridiron.

But with all the good playing by all the good players turned out by Marvin, it is doubtful that any of those pupils will come close to surpassing the almost unbelievable record hung up by Bass himself.

Marvin Bass, making his pigskin debut in 1936, proceeded to play football for eight years, and in seven of those years he landed a berth on the All-State roster. Twice he was All-Southern.

Marvin began his gridiron activities while at Petersburg High School, playing there in 1936, '37, and '38. As a tackle he was named to the mythical honorary team in both his junior and senior years, adding the distinction of making All-Southern in '38. See MARVIN BASS, Page 8



## Safety Corps Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Water Safety Corps Tuesday, November 2, in Blow Pool at 7:30 p. m. Try-outs for new members to the Corps, both men and women, will be held the same night at 8 p. m.

"I should like to urge all senior life savers and instructors, both men and women, to attend," Charlotte Ann Phillips, chairman of the corps, emphasized.

## Phone Announcement

Switchboard operators in Marshall-Wythe request that all students limit all calls made from 6:30 p. m. to 11:00 p. m. to five minutes. This request is made because at this time many long distance calls are being put through and the operators cannot handle many campus calls.

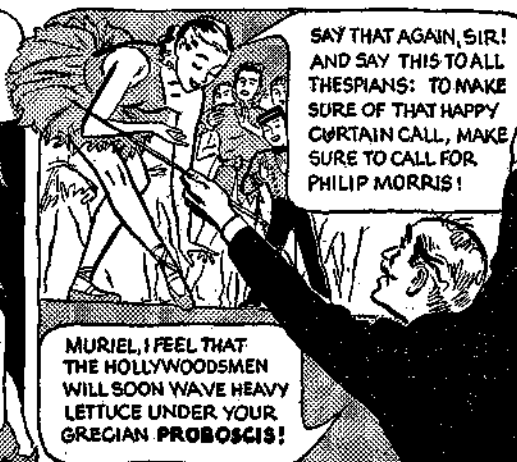
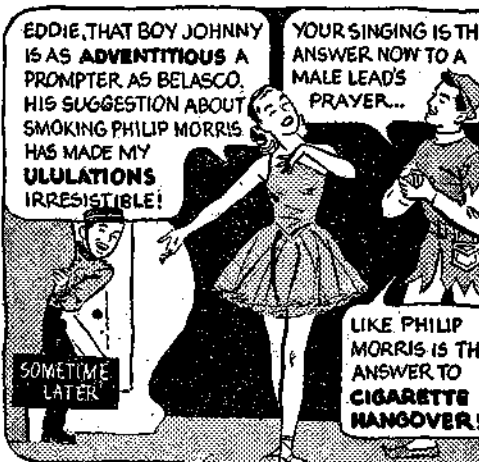
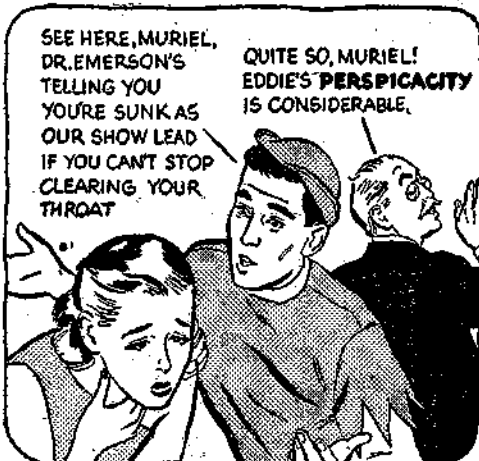
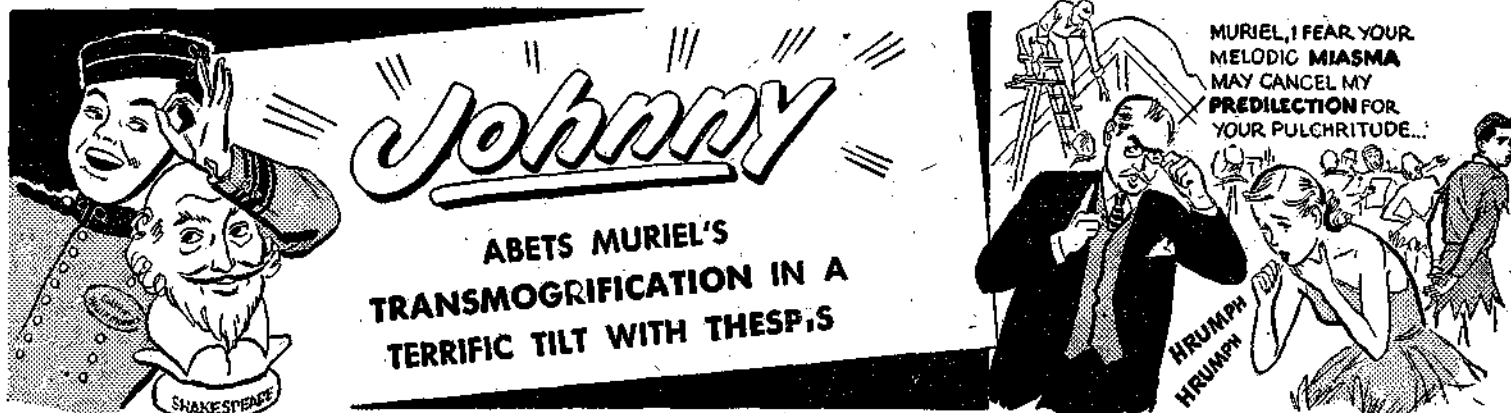
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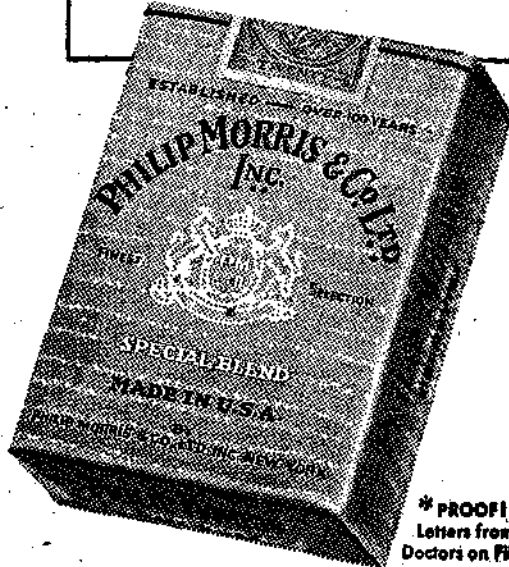
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## Tribe Harriers To Face R-M In Season Opener

The Tribe cross-country team will open its 1948 season tomorrow with the first home meet since before the war. Randolph-Macon will be the opponent, with starting time scheduled for 3:30 p. m. at Cary Field.

The squad showed considerable improvement during the past week. With the return of Bob Lawson to the trails, the squad is at its full strength through the first five positions, though these positions are still not clinched by individuals.

It appears again that Clyde Baker, the only Indian to place in the Southern Conference Cross Country meet last year, will still hold

Don Day, Sam Lindsay, Jean Day and Bill Hawkins, are out running for the remaining two spots on the varsity.

The main problem to face the team is that of team depth. With the Southern Conference eligibility rules forbidding the running of freshmen or transfers, it appears that W&M will be able to field only about seven men, while about four men may be forced to stand by this year until their eligibility is granted.

The conference meet will be held at Maryland, on a campus that has nothing but the memory of crushing defeats for W&M trackmen.

The University of Maryland, placing seven men in the first 15 last year at Raleigh, will be odds on favorite to retain the title, as all seven men are now only sophomores.

At present, only the meets with R-M and with Davidson at Davidson have been scheduled, though tentative dates with the Quantico Marines and Richmond are still awaiting approval. Clyde Baker is holding down the number one post, while Hugh DeSampier and Lawson are fighting for the number two post.

## Varsity Club Plans VPI Movie Showing

Movies of the William and Mary-Virginia Tech football game will be shown at 7 tonight in Washington 200 under the sponsorship of the Varsity club.

Following the showing of the film, a touch football demonstration will be given as an added attraction.

The St. Bonaventure pictures will be shown next week.

## Marvin Bass, W&M Mentor, Holder Of Many Laurels

(Continued from page 7)

From Petersburg, he turned up at William and Mary amid the influx of "Fabulous Freshmen" of 1939 under the regime of Carl Voyles and Rube McCray.

Marvin was at home from the start in college competition, promptly leading as captain the 1939 All-State freshman club. He followed that up by displaying such outstanding football calibre that he was named to the All-State team in each of his three varsity seasons.

In 1942, Marvin's senior year, he heaped laurel upon laurel on himself for his gridiron exploits. He was captain of William and Mary's first Southern Conference championship outfit; he was All-State; he was All-Southern; he received All-America mention on several polls; he was named to the all-time All-Southern football team;

he was elected to Who's Who In American Colleges And Universities.

Leaving William and Mary shortly after the end of the football season that year, he enrolled in the Navy V-12 program in time to play football the following fall for the University of Richmond. Then, thoroughly in the habit of it, for the seventh consecutive year, he became All-State and was also All-Conference.

Upon Marvin's separation from the Navy, he was hauled straight back to the Reservation by McCray, who had then taken over as chief mentor at William and Mary, and handed the duties of head line coach.

McCray's choice of Bass to assume the line teaching responsibilities was agreeable to Bass. He had wanted to return to his alma mater in a coaching capacity. The amiable Marvin, who is now only 29 years old, is married, his wife being the former Miss Audrey Wallace, of Newport News. They have one eight month old adopted son, Wallace Randolph Bass.

All women interested in playing golf met today in Washington 200. It was announced that the group would meet on Tuesday or Thursday afternoons. The practice sessions under Miss Reeder would be held at the Inn course. Everyone must supply her own clubs.

## SMOKE SIGNALS

(Continued from page 5)

He Go?) Passage said in one of his week-day sports casts that Papit was destined to move Cloud out of the picture as the fullback in the State. To this we merely say that George is seeing this boy Papit as he sees some of those eight yard gains when in fact they are good for one or two. Until the "we can't play William and Mary because of schedule difficulties" Virginia Cavaliers meet a worthy

opponent such as North Carolina or N. C. State and not the bewildered W&L Generals, and then Mr. Papit goes wild, we'll ride along on Cloud's shoulders, as have so many of our opponents. He gets his every Saturday, against all teams, and regardless of state papers, is still being acclaimed, from coast to coast, as the hardest running power back in the country.

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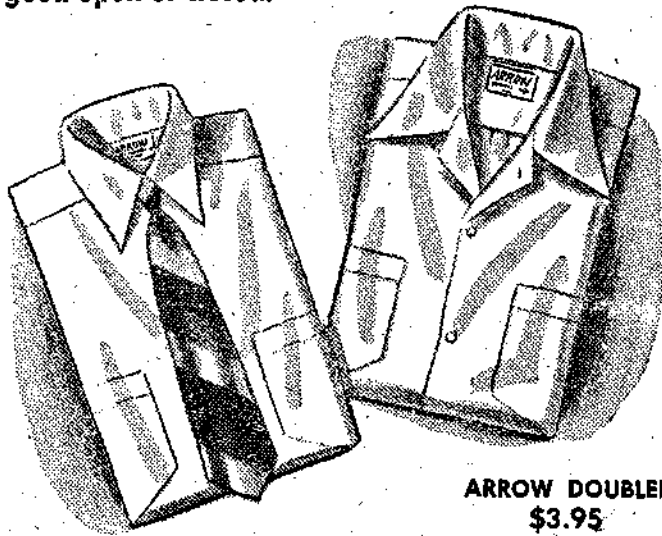
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## Greek Letters

Kappa Delta celebrated its Founders' Day on October 23.

Visiting the Gamma Phi Beta house this past week were Helen Stapf, Peggy Shaw, Sissy Bargerstock Mason, Jane Parker and Frances Hawley Aron.

Alpha Chi Omega held a dessert in honor of the pledges and their dates last Sunday night.

Chi Omega pledges were honored at a breakfast Sunday morning given by Mrs. Robert Wallace, an alumna in town.

A reception for campus men was held Sunday, October 24 by Delta Delta Delta. Sunny Trumbo-Williams, Edith Smith and Jane Atkinson visited the house last week end.

Phi Mu pledges were entertained at a banquet at the Inn last Thursday. The president of the Norfolk alumni group and a past national vice-president also were present. Helen Franklin and Anne Ball visited the house recently.

Pi Beta Phi pledges spent the night in the house Saturday night.

S. Edward Kaplan was recently pledged to Pi Lambda Phi.

Phi Alpha initiated Jack Blum, David Eissenberg, Robert Greenfield and Mel Heifert at their lodge last night.

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## Committee Selects Dr. George Oliver As Vice Chairman

Dr. George J. Oliver, professor of education and director of the summer session, was elected to serve a second term as vice chairman of the General Cooperative Committee at its first meeting last Thursday.

Dr. Hibbert D. Corey, professor of economics and business administration, will serve as secretary of the faculty, administration and student organization.

C. Warren Smith, student body president, presented a resolution from the Student Assembly suggesting either that the condition of the college band be improved or that the organization be discontinued. J. Wilfred Lambert, dean of students, explained that no specific fund in the student activities fee was set aside for musical organizations, although the fee committee occasionally made emergency grants to the band.

**Band Fund**  
In the discussion which followed, it became evident that all the members of the committee were in agreement with the Student Assembly on the band question. John E. Hocutt, dean of men, suggested that the student activities fee be increased so that a band fund might be included in the budget. Lambert declared that three incentives to band membership, uniforms, reputation and the privilege of travelling with the football team to out-of-town games, were lacking under the present system and added that, in most colleges, the Athletic Association provided funds for the maintenance of the band.

WSCGA President Dotsy Thedick suggested that the practice of charging admission at out-of-town concerts, used as a means of raising funds for the band before the war, be revived.

**Committee Appointed**  
A motion made by Smith stating that a committee of four be appointed to investigate means of obtaining adequate support for the band was passed unanimously by the committee. Dr. Oliver will appoint this committee.

Smith brought a complaint from the Student Assembly about the overcrowded conditions in the Wigwam during meal hours and suggested that the Pagoda Room be open to students buying food in the Wigwam at these times. Dr. Katharine R. Jeffers, dean of women, moved that a continuing committee be appointed to deal with all problems relating to the cafeteria. The motion was passed unanimously.

### Ex-Servicemen Receive

#### Advice On Life Insurance

"One of the most important things for ex-servicemen to do about their National Service Life Insurance is the naming of a beneficiary or beneficiaries of their policies," the Veterans Administration said in a recent release.

Unless a veteran gives this matter consideration, he may fail to get the most out of his insurance. For instance, if no beneficiary is named, the policyholder may be risking a financial loss to his heirs. Up to August 1, 1946, it was not absolutely necessary for the veteran to name primary and contingent beneficiaries because the law provided for payment of the insurance to legal heirs in a specified order. Now, however, if the veteran dies without naming a beneficiary, or if the beneficiary should die before the policyholder, the insurance will be paid in a lump sum to the veteran's estate.

If this happens, the insurance becomes part of an estate, it is subject to all the laws governing estates, including claims of creditors, administrators' fees and court expenses. Thus the veteran's heirs might easily lose some of the insurance money which they might otherwise have received.

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## Flagg And Woods Receive Honors As Distinguished Military Students

Austin T. Flagg and Dudley L. S. Woods, Jr., members of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, were designated "Distinguished Military Students" last week by Dr. John E. Pomfret, president of the college.

Flagg and Woods were nominated by the professor of military science and tactics, Colonel Giles R. Carpenter. They are the first students of the college to be so honored.

A "distinguished military student" is one who possesses outstanding qualities of military leadership, high moral character, and who has distinguished himself either academically or in campus activities, and has a definite aptitude for military service. The student also must be a senior or one who has completed the advanced course of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, and must rank among the upper third of his ROTC class.

Flagg is a veteran of the 101st Airborne Division, and saw active service in Europe during the last war. He is an accounting major and has been on the dean's list since he entered William & Mary, having attended the Norfolk Division. He holds the rank of captain in the ROTC, and is a member

of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

Woods, also a veteran who saw service as a member of the Signal Corps attached to the Fifth Air Force on the Pacific theater, is the cadet commanding officer of the ROTC unit, and holds the rank of cadet captain. Prior to his entry into service, he was a varsity track man. Woods is also a member of Kappa Sigma, and is a past grand treasurer of his fraternity.

### Carl Fehr Praises Choir

"This is one of the finest groups of men and women I have ever worked with at William and Mary. It is a most co-operative and hard-working group. I am sure that the college and the student body will be proud of the performance of the choir," said Carl A. Fehr, choir director, about the William and Mary choir.

There is a total of 59 members in the choir. New additions this year are Betty Jane Alexander, Jean Bodie, June Compton, Gwendolyn Batten, Sarah Jane Robeson, Pat Patterson, Claudia Richmond, Sallie Ross, Sidna Chockley, Ethel Messick, Edith Moser, Janette Noyes, Phoebe Martin, Ann Benthall, Dorothy Franklin, Brownie Fraher, Orrie Rosado, Barbara Striker, Jean Struwe, Carolyn Forman, Kathryn Gray, Miles Rudisill, Claude Nock, Bob Quint, Robert Downey, Richard Hotchkiss, Gordon Mason, Bob Luartes, Bill Cocos, Mont Linkenauer, Ralph Hart, Stanley Kozak, Charles Hardin and Russell Eckles.

### Colonial Echo Announces Dates For Class Pictures

Pictures for the Colonial Echo will be taken in the day students' room in Jefferson Hall tomorrow through Friday, October 27-29, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon, and 1-5:30 p. m.

These are the last two days that pictures can be taken, so appointments may be made at the day students' room immediately. Students may call for their proofs five days after their pictures are taken.

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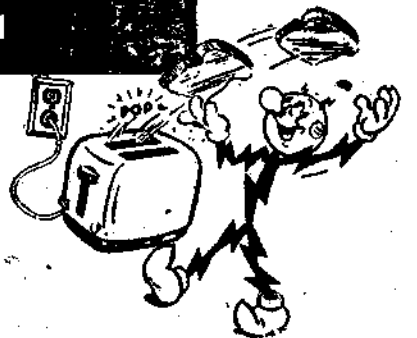
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### Dr. Pomfret Gives Buffet Supper

Dr. John E. Pomfret, president of the college, and Mrs. Pomfret entertained the members of the Student Assembly and Senate at a buffet supper in the President's House last Tuesday night.

After a short business meeting, during which John Dayton reported on the activities of the Student Congress of Virginia Colleges and Universities, the student government officers heard a brief address by Dr. Christian Gauss, dean emeritus of Princeton University.

Dr. Gauss described student government as it operates at Princeton and briefly traced the history of its development. Older than student government at William and Mary, Princeton government, although roughly similar to the college's, has reached a greater stage of development, and more responsibility is given to the student officers.

After the conclusion of his address, Dr. Gauss answered questions from the floor. C. Warren Smith, student body president, asked about the extent of student participation in the work of the discipline committee. Both Smith and Dr. Pomfret expressed the hope that membership in William and Mary's discipline committee, which installed one student member last year, will be expanded in the future.

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TUESDAY, October 26

Flat Hat editors meeting—Flat Hat office, 7 p. m.

Colonial Echo staff meeting—Colonial Echo office, 7-8 p. m.

Balfour Hillel Club meeting—Baptist Student Union, 7-10 p. m.

French Club meeting—Apollo Room, 7-8 p. m.

Varsity Club movie—Washington 200, 7 p. m.

Interfraternity Association meeting—Phi Alpha Lodge, 7 p. m.

Flat Hat staff meeting—Marshall-Wythe 302, 8 p. m.

Varsity Club meeting—Blow Lounge, 8 p. m.

Psychology Club meeting—Barrett Hall, 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, October 27

Canterbury Club Communion—Wren Chapel, 7:25-8 a. m.

Choir rehearsal—Music Building, 4-5:30 p. m.

Judicial Committee meeting—Wren 100, 5 p. m.

Vespers—Wren Chapel, 6:30 p. m.

Kappa Chi Kappa reception—Methodist Church, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Amateur Radio Club meeting—Washington 204, 7-7:45 p. m.

Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 8 p. m.

THURSDAY, October 28

Band rehearsal—Apollo Room, 3-5 p. m.

Chess Enthusiasts meeting—Washington 314, 3-5 p. m.

Royalist staff meeting—Royalist office, 4-6 p. m.

Canterbury Club meeting—Wren Chapel, 5-5:45 p. m.

Theta Delta Chi banquet—Williamsburg Lodge, 6-9 p. m.

Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 8 p. m.

Pep rally—College Corner, 10:30 p. m.

FRIDAY, October 29

Choir rehearsal—Music Building, 4-5:30 p. m.

Balfour Hillel Club meeting—Wren Chapel, 7-8 p. m.

Formal dance—Blow Gym, 9 p. m. - 2 a. m.

SATURDAY, October 30

Homecoming parade—Duke of Gloucester Street, 9:45 a. m.

Wesley Foundation meeting—Methodist Church basement, 11 a. m.

Baptist Student Union meeting—Baptist Student Center, 4:30-7 p. m.

Homecoming game—Cary Field, 2:30 p. m.

SUNDAY, October 31

Wesley Foundation meeting—Methodist Church, 9:45 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

Phi Alpha picnic—Shelter, 3-6 p. m.

Lutheran Group meeting—Wren Chapel, 5 p. m.

Baptist Student Union meeting—Baptist Church, 5:30-8 p. m.

Westminster Fellowship—Presbyterian Church, 6-8 p. m.

Canterbury Club supper—Parish House, 6-8 p. m.

Newman Club meeting—Dodge Room, 7-8 p. m.

MONDAY, November 1

WSCGA meeting—Phi Beta Kappa, 7-8 p. m.

Kappa Sigma initiation—Great Hall, 7-10 p. m.

Pan Hellenic Council meeting—Wren 200, 8 p. m.

TUESDAY, November 2

Mortar Board meeting—Kappa Kappa Gamma house, 4-5 p. m.

Eta Sigma Phi meeting—Barrett living room, 4-6 p. m.

Chi Delta Phi meeting—Apollo Room, 5-6 p. m.

Student Assembly meeting—Apollo Room, 7-8 p. m.

Flat Hat editors meeting—Flat Hat office, 7 p. m.

Flat Hat staff meeting—Marshall-Wythe 302, 8 p. m.

Debate Council meeting—Washington 300, 8 p. m.

Scarab Club meeting—Fine Arts library, 8 p. m.

Biology Club meeting—Washington 100, 8 p. m.

Fencing Club meeting—Jefferson, 8-9 p. m.

Colonial Echo staff meeting—Colonial Echo office, 8-9 p. m.

International Relations Club meeting—Dodge Room, 8:30-9:30 p. m.

Sigma Rho initiation—Wren Chapel, 8:30-10 p. m.

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### Sundae Bears Name Of Flying Jack Cloud

Those crowds which began to gather around the Wigwam last Friday afternoon were not waiting to see President Truman or Margaret O'Brien. They were there because the hallowed ground of William and Mary now has two "Flying Clouds," and one is at the soda fountain.

The new Cloud is a gorgeous creation in green, gold and gray, and may become the property of anyone on payment of a quarter. In two succinct syllables, the "flying Cloud" is a sundae now, and while it may not carry the ball, it certainly is on-it. Vanilla ice cream, cherries, walnuts, mint sauce, and the whipped cream topping that its namesake is so fond of, all combine to make the "flying Cloud" the top drawing card in the Wigwam.

### College Orchestra Plans First Meeting

Reorganization of the college orchestra will take place next Thursday, October 28, according to Alan C. Stewart, band director. All students interested in playing in the band may come to the Music Building at 6:30 p. m. on that day, preferably with their instruments.

Plans for this year include continuation of the cooperative concerts staged with the Richmond Professional Institute. The orchestra will go to Richmond on Mondays to rehearse with the Richmond group. Two concerts will be staged with them; one in Petersburg on February 8, and one in Richmond on February 12. Later, the annual spring concert will be presented here in Williamsburg.

"Particularly welcome," said Stewart, "are string players, as these are what are needed most in the orchestra."

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# Ben Johnston And Jean Cutler Reveal Their First Loves

By Evelyn Moore

"Don't print this, but . . ." and Jean Cutler regaled me with another fascinating incident. Ben Johnston carefully withheld any such questionable information, able information, even though he must have had many interesting experiences while working in the pit band of the National Theater, Richmond's most exclusive burlesque theater.

These two Virginians, fine arts

majors, are responsible for the choreography and music in **The Great Campaign**, and they have worked together on other William and Mary productions. Johnston plays and Cutler, with foot tapping and hand beating out the count, figures out a routine to fit the music.

"The Great Campaign is going to be excellent, by the way," Cutler said, "I am astounded at the fact that so many students do not support the Theatre. Much of the talent in all fields is as good as that found in the professional theater." Cutler had a lot to say about Miss Hunt's capable directing, but that was strictly off the record as "she might think I'm trying to get a good grade or something."

### Both Write Poetry

Johnston had a chance to prove his versatility in this play, for it includes several revival hymns, a couple of folk dances, jazz, hill-billy and vaudeville music. His interests lie in poetry and sculp-

ture also, but music is the all important thing, and everything else will be sacrificed to it. Cutler, too, likes to write poetry; and in addition, short stories and monologues for his own pleasure. He is very happy because he has found his true work in the theater which "is so living."

The piano teachers were at first fooled into thinking Johnston could read music well because he could play by ear anything once heard. Finally when he moved from Macon, Ga. to Richmond, Florence Robinson encouraged him in his music. She was a pupil of composer-pianist John Powell, an authority on folk music who will give a lecture recital in Phi Beta Kappa Hall, January 6. Johnston's first composition was a bolero written at the age of twelve. Since then, he has won second prize in a contest sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs for a symphonic poem **All the King's Horses**. A fugue and song, **Homeward**, won prizes in contests by Scholastic Magazine.

Both men were in the navy. Cutler picked up his dancing and performed in a New Orleans night club occasionally. Johnston went to the Navy School of Music in Washington, D. C. Here he played the piano and trombone in the band of Admiral Jonas Ingram, studied composition and orches-

tration with a Cherokee Indian and received his first experience composing for dance work.

Each likes all the work involved in his particular field. Cutler prefers rehearsals. "The performance is like the cherry on top of a sundae, nice to have but you can do without it. The void which comes after the show is the worst part," Johnston says that if the test of a vocation is liking the drudgery, he passes; for he enjoys the problems in writing a piece of music.

### Community Theater

Cutler's main ambition is to start a community theater in some city like Houston, Texas or Louisville, Ky. Everyone taking part in this project would be required to know all parts of the theater thoroughly; yet, of course, have his field of special interest. Johnston wants to teach theory and composition in a university. On the side he would compose. Right now he is revising a ballet and writing a piano sonata.

They work hard at their respective interests. Cutler spends all day on theater work and reserves the hours from midnight to three for study. Once Johnston practiced 15 hours at a stretch without getting up. This was in preparation for playing **Rhapsody in Blue** with his high school orchestra.

## Stewart Announces Post-Football Plans For Band Concerts

"We may have a concert band after the football season is over, if the students so desire," announced Alan C. Stewart, band director commenting about the band's plans for the coming year.

New band members for this year include Robert Anderson, James C. Anthony, Jack A. Bloom, Nancy A. Clexton, Hugh DeSampier, James F. Duff, Jr., Alfred L. Evans, Jr., Wesley Ferguson, Charles W. Hardin, Jr., John Hubbard, Robert Lawson, Evert A. Lynch, James Pantele, Henry Renninger, Gene Ribble, Lawrence Sklover, Pete Woodling, Henry Worth, Phyllis Williams.

"Any student interested in playing in the band who has had band experience may come to the Music Building on Wednesday evening at 7:15 p. m.," stated Stewart.

## Wilkins Accepts Position As Committee Chairman

W. Elliott Wilkins, Jr., has accepted the chairmanship of the World Student Service Fund Campaign Committee on this campus, it was announced today.

The chairman stated that a goal of \$1,500 has been set tentatively for student relief in war-devastated nations.

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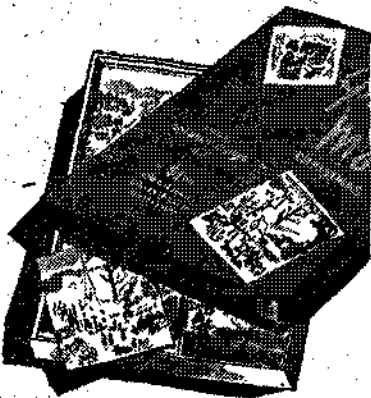
## Homecoming

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proceed to the athletic field to watch the Spider dummy burn in the bonfire. Fireworks and flaming signs will be added attractions. Women students have automatic late permissions to attend the rally.

Playing for the formal dance Friday, October 29, will be Larry Clinton and his orchestra. Decorations for the dance have been placed in the hands of the J. W. Roper Company of Newport News. They plan to carry out the William and Mary colors with a false ceiling of crepe paper and green and white rosetts.

Tickets for both the formal and informal dances will go on sale tomorrow and Thursday in the dorms and fraternity and sorority houses at the reduced price of four dollars. They may also be obtained from the information desk in Marshall-Wythe until 4:30 p. m. Thursday. After this presale, tickets for the formal dance will be three dollars and for the informal dance two dollars.



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# Political Play To Open Tomorrow

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 vided by a guitar, a trumpet and a piano.  
 Both the singing and dancing are in keeping with the general theme of the play and are performed by three different groups, the neighbors, the believers and the voters. Miss Hunt described it as country dancing and festival choral singing. Jean Cutler is director of choreography.  
 The locale of the play is Minnesota, Illinois, Columbus and Zanesville, Ohio, the latter being the home of the farmer candidate. Change of scene is accomplished by a series of backdrops and a wagon stage, which is simply a platform on wheels.  
 One of the backdrops pictures the house and porch of the farmer in Zanesville; another is a gigantic map of the United States. Roger Sherman is the Stage Designer.  
 In order to provide the proper setting for The Great Campaign,

the entire front of Phi Kappa Hall will be decorated with bunting and banners to represent a typical Campaign Headquarters. Recorded martial music will be played to create a fitting atmosphere.  
 According to Miss Hunt and her assistants there has been a large pre-production sale of season tickets as well as for this performance alone.  
 One group of 58 students from Batetourt High School in Gloucester will see the play Thursday night. Miss Hunt attributes this interest to the annual play given by the Theatre for high school students and other college groups. This event is called "Shakespeare Night" and was presented in March last year.  
 The other main characters of the cast include Shirley Davis, Emily; Dick Bethards, Jeff; Joan Barritt, Laneth; Dave Friedman, Sidney and Wilford Leach as Wilderness Jones.

# Lambert Announces Order Of Parade

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 dent Body, the President of the Women Student's Cooperative Government Association, and the President of the Senior Class).  
 \*3. College Band.  
 \*4. College Color Guard.  
 \*5. ROTC.  
 \*6. The Cheer Leaders.  
 \*7. Special Car (Homecoming Queen).  
 8. Football Team 1908.  
 9. Special Carriage (The President of the College and the President of the University of Richmond).  
**Section II**  
 10. Pi Beta Phi.  
 11. Sigma Alpha Epsilon.  
 12. Mortar Board.  
 13. Junior Class.  
 14. Phi Alpha.  
 15. Gamma Phi Beta.  
 16. Pi Kappa Alpha.  
 17. Theta Delta Chi.  
 18. Kappa Kappa Gamma.

19. Kappa Sigma.  
 20. Phi Kappa Tau.  
 21. Phi Mu.  
 \*22. Braxton Perkins Drum and Bugle Corps.  
 23. Lambda Chi Alpha.  
 24. Pi Lambda Phi.  
 25. Morris House.  
 26. Sigma Rho.  
 27. Kappa Alpha Theta.  
 28. Chi Omega.  
 29. Kappa Alpha.  
 30. Alpha Chi Omega.  
 31. Delta Delta Delta.  
 32. Senior Class.  
 33. Sigma Pi.  
 34. Kappa Delta.  
 \*35. Special Car.  
**Section III**  
 136. Quarter Path Riding Stables.  
 \*37. American Red Cross.  
 38. Girl Scouts.  
 39. Cub Scouts.  
 40. Young Women's Club.  
 41. Soropotimists.

42. Junior Chamber of Commerce.  
 \*43. Williamsburg Fire Department.  
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 All freshmen are required to meet in Phi Beta Kappa Hall at 1 p. m. Saturday, October 30, to make preparations for the game that afternoon.


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